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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE,
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DENVER CENTER
DIRECTOR DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE,
INDIANAPOLIS CENTER
DIRECTOR DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE,
KANSAS CITY CENTER


SUBJECT: Change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A, Regarding –
Navy Supplemental Clothing Allowance for Band Members, (DFAS Item I-80)

Attached is DFAS Interim Change **12-00** to Chapter 29 of the DoDFMR, Volume 7A.
This change has an effective date of October 27, 1999.

The purpose of this change is to add duty as a member of the U.S. Navy Band Washington, DC, and the U.S. Naval Academy Band to the current list of Navy band members entitled to supplementary clothing allowances. Also included is clarifying language to the payment frequency for supplementary clothing allowances.

We have evaluated your comments on the draft proposal of this change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A. The attached final version of the change incorporates your comments where appropriate.

Assignment of an interim change number is your authority to start a procedural modification to facilitate this change. For the Denver Center, use the attached to initiate the formal printed change to the DoDFMR and the interim change message.


Gregory P. Bitz
Director for Finance

Attachment:
As stated

cc: DASD (MPP)(Comp)
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Service Liaisons
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NAVY SUPPLEMENTAL CLOTHING ALLOWANCE FOR BAND MEMBERS

1. Revise Table 29-5 by adding duty as a musician with the U.S. Navy Band Washington, DC and with the United States Naval Academy to Rule 14 effective October 27,1999.
2. Revise note 1 to Tables 29-5 and 29-6 to clarify the payment schedules for Navy and Air Force Supplementary Clothing Allowances as being payable upon initial assignment *and* at the frequency specified.
3. Revise the Bibliography by inserting an entry for Table 29-5 and using the citation: ASN(M&RA) Memo, Oct 27, 1999
4. Attached are replacement pages for Tables 29-5 and 29-6, pending a published revision of Chapter 29.

NAVY SUPPLEMENTARY CLOTHING ALLOWANCES -- EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 27, 1999			
R U L E	A	B	C
	When a Navy enlisted member is assigned to	then the supplementary clothing allowance to be paid in cash is	and the frequency of payment is (note 1)
1	shore duty in a BUPERS controlled recruiting billet or a recruiting support billet (note 2)	\$220.00	annual
2	the US Navy Ceremonial Guard	\$200.00	only upon assignment
3	the Ceremonial Guard Unit, Naval Air Facility, Washington DC	\$120.00	
4	duty in the executive part of the Department of the Navy located at the seat of government (field activities excluded)	\$15.00	
5	duty in the Office of the Secretary of Defense including the Office of the Joint Chiefs of Staff	\$15.00	
6	duty as a recruit company commander at naval training centers or Naval Air Reserve training unit (Memphis) and meets eligibility requirements (note 3)	\$220.00	annual
7	duty as a recruit drill instructor at naval training centers and meets eligibility requirements (note 3)	\$220.00	
8	duty with Naval Administrative Unit, Washington DC	\$125.00	only upon assignment
9	the CNO Retention Team	\$220.00	annual
10	a unit of the armed forces police or permanent shore patrol	\$50.00	only upon assignment
11	duty as a member assigned to (1) Transient Monitoring Unit, Enlisted Personnel Management Center, New Orleans; (2) Personnel and Administrative Assistance Team, Atlantic; (3) Personnel and Administrative Assistance Team, Pacific; or (4) Reserve Personnel Management Assistance Team (RPMAT)	\$185.00	
12	duty as the Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy (MCPON) or a Master Chief Petty Officer of a Fleet or Force	\$220.00	annual
13	active duty or Selected Reserve duty and the individual's condition requires the wearing of a maternity uniform	\$225.00	once in 3 years
★14	duty as a musician with a Fleet/Area Band, U.S. Navy Band Washington, DC or Naval Academy Band	\$220.00	annual
15	duty as a midshipmen company advisor in pay grade E7 – E9 at the United States Naval Academy	\$220.00	

NOTES:

- ★1. The supplementary clothing allowances listed are, unless otherwise noted, payable upon initial assignment to a normal tour of the duties described and at the frequency specified in this table. Allowances to be paid as annual allowances will be paid upon assignment and upon each subsequent anniversary date of the initial assignment or entitlement, provided the member is projected to remain in the assignment for at least an additional 6 months. Allowances to be paid as once in 3 year allowances, will be paid after 36 months from the date of any prior payment, provided the individual's condition/duties continue to require the supplementary allowance and they are projected to remain in the assignment for at least 6 additional months. Allowances to be paid as only upon assignment allowances will be paid only when first assigned to the specified duty. A supplementary allowance may not be paid more frequently than once per year for similar duty even if at different locations or commands or for subsequent recalls to active duty within 1 year, except by special authority of the Service Secretary or his designee.
2. Recruiting or recruiting support duty means active duty assignment to: Navy recruiting areas, Navy recruiting districts, Navy recruiting "A" stations, Navy recruiting stations, Military Entrance Processing Stations, or to Naval Reserve activities. It also includes Naval aviation cadet procurement teams at Naval Air Reserve activities. It is payable to recruiters after reporting to the enlisted Navy Recruiter Orientation Course or upon completion of the Veteran Recruiter Orientation (VETRO). It is payable to recruiting support personnel upon receipt of orders to such duty. It is payable to members in BUPERS controlled recruiting billets or a recruit support billet upon initial assignment when specialized training is not required prior to the recruiting assignment.
3. Eligibility requires completion of Recruit Company Commander or Recruit Drill Instructor School.

★Table 29-5. Navy Supplementary Clothing Allowances

AIR FORCE SUPPLEMENTARY CLOTHING ALLOWANCES -- EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 1999			
R U L E	A	B	C
	When an Air Force enlisted member is assigned to	then the supplementary clothing allowance to be paid in cash is	and the frequency of payment is (note 1)
1	duty as an in-flight passenger service steward	\$154.00	annual
2	Detachment 1, 4950 th Test Wing	\$154.00	
3	89 th Air Wing Presidential Aircrew	\$154.00	
4	Headquarters USAF/CC as member of the security police	\$104.00	only upon assignment
5	89 th Air Wing as a member of the security police	\$104.00	annual
6	the United States Air Force Band, the Air Force Band of the Rockies, or a numbered Air Force band	\$154.00	once in 3 years
7	Hammer Ace	\$154.00	only upon assignment
8	duty as a basic military training instructor or manager	\$197.00	annual
9	duty as a cadet military training advisor at the United States Air Force Academy	\$154.00	
10	duty as a basic military training instructor at the United States Air Force Academy Preparatory School	\$154.00	
11	a recruiting group or squadron	\$197.00	
12	represent the Air Force as one the 12 Outstanding Airmen of the Year	\$197.00	only upon assignment
13	duty as a Professional Military education Instructor	\$197.00	annual
14	duty at a MAJCOM as a member of the security police Elite Guard	\$104.00	only upon assignment
15	duty as a member of the security police Elite Gate Guards	\$104.00	
16	duty as a student at the Security Forces Specialist Course (Law Enforcement & Security Specialist Students)	\$84.00	
17	duty as the Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force	\$197.00	annual
18	duty as the Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force Staff	\$197.00	only upon assignment
19	duty as a USAFA radio maintenance work center technician	\$129.00	once in 3 years
20	a military entrance processing station	\$129.00	annual
21	active duty and the individual's condition requires the wearing of a maternity uniform (note 2)	\$283.00	once in 3 years
22	active duty and the individual's condition requires the wearing of a maternity uniform when the individual is provided, as government issue, maternity working uniforms (e.g. hospital workers, note 2)	\$100.00	
23	duty as a Military Training Leaders (Technical Training Schools)	\$197.00	annual

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2. When the reduced maternity uniform allowance has been paid and the member subsequently qualifies for a full maternity uniform allowance within 3 years of the reduced payment, the member will receive only the difference between the 2 allowances. A member may not receive more than the full maternity uniform allowance value within any 36-month period. A reduced maternity uniform allowance may not be paid within 36 months of a full maternity uniform allowance.

★Table 29-6. Air Force Supplementary Clothing Allowances